SUMMARY OF AMERICAN NEWS.

TO GO BY THE French Line of Steamers.

We begleave to announce to the readers of the New York Herald, that we shall hereafter issue, on the sailing of each and every French steamship from this port, a Herald for Europe, with a summary of American news printed in French, for the benefit of those in France who are not acquainted with the Anglo-Saxon.

This will be a new feature in American journalism and, as such, may be considered a new step in the pro-

gress of newspapers.
On all occasions, from the day on which the Herald entered upon its existence to the present moment, it has endeavored to keep up with the successive improvements of the age. It was the first to issue extras, giving in a nut-shell the European news on the arrival of packet ships. It was the first to issue an edition for European circulation, on the departure of every steamship. It was the first to take advantage of the great invention of Morse, and use it for the benefit of the newspaper read-ing public; and it will endeavor to be the first journal to aid in drawing closer the already strong bonds which bind the people of La Belle France and the citizens of the United States together, by publishing a resumé of the history and progress of the United States, in war, agriculture, steam, magnetism, politics, commerce and finance, from the sailing of one French steamship to that of another, for the use of the French public.

We shall start this new piece of enterprise on the day of the departure of the Philadelphia from this port, which will be on the 15th inst. On that day the Herald for Europe will, in a commercial, political, and monetary point of view, be as interesting to the people of France as it has hitherto been to the people of England.

Subscriptions received at this office; and by Messrs. Galignani, 18 Rue Vivienne, and C. Combier, at the office of Livingston Wells & Co., 87 Faubourg Poisson-

Terms, the same as for the Herald for Europe, for the English and American steamers. Advertisements in serted in French.

The Watering Places.

U. S. Hotel, Saratoga Springs, Aug. 3, 1847.
The Grand Fancy Dress Ball-Occupations of the Visiters-Arrivals-The Herr Alexander-The Concert

of Herz and Siveri, &c. &c. Costly and extensive preparations are now being made for the grand fancy dress ball to be given at this hotel on the 11th instant. Hair dressers and curling tongs have been imported in profusion, and the lovely women, of whom there are a bevy, a group, most admirable and matchiess, are fitting garments of fine texture to their pretty limbs. Costumers are arriving, and have arrived, with packages of dresses, of every imaginable style and quality. The gentlemen are making selections, and I expect that every personage of note, and not of note, from Cromwell to the Bourbons, will be personified at

In the suspending interim, these dear, amiable women and these fine-toned, elegantmen, are still going it with a perfect abandonment. So far as I can comprehend, they have here all the prominent appointments of heaven, except, perhaps, that holy purity and sinlessness which is a feature in the courts of heaven, in which men can not partake until they resolve to do so. As for myself, I believe that the germs and the elements of purity exist in the world, and that their development will not be de layed for ever. It is here an eternal routine of fascina tion and fascinating pleasure; in the immortal Polka, when trembling little hearts bustle each other-when the crimson lips meet-and the eyes lose themselves in the eyes' abyss-I have noticed exhalations of soft sighs, and impalpable whispers and terrible agitation. I reference these things to the gentlemanly cupid, who is a most insolent automatic

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Among the company here, I have observed there is a son of John C. Caihoun, the great South Carolinian. He is passe, but very polite, and may become a man of distinction. The British Consul is also here.

At dinner, the Herr Alexander, after having agitated his cerrebrum with a bottle of heidsle, suddenly relieves some some person's waistcoat pecket of a cabbage head of this year's growth; digestion is of course assisted, and the entire table is convulsed with laughter. The other day at table, the Herr bet four bottles of champaigue, with an antiquarian, that he (the Herr) could remove a certain ball from under a tumbler which was standing upon the table bottom upwards, without raising the tumbler; the bet was taken, and the Herr folded a piece of paper about the tumbler, and placed the ball under it upon the table; with the paper around the tumbler, of course the ball could not be seen. After certain incantations and gyrations by the Herr, the antiquarian raised the tumbler to see if the ball had disappeared; the ball which remained there was instantly taken away by the Herr; thus you will observe that the Herr won the champagne; he took the ball away without raising the tumbler, because the tumbler was raised by the autiquarian; the man of musty manuscripts ordered the champaigne.

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the monarch of the dining room, and through his watchfulness and skill, the citeyennes of this miniature metropole are gorges with printable succulents of the most
constitution on all its. polis are gorged with peacetonic peacetonic

I heard the little and the great Sivori last night; I heard Herz also. Sivori says he plays upon Paganini's fiddle—it is the very same the immortal Pagan used. These artists were comforted and assured by an immense audience of rich men, with their wives and children. Sivori's "Nel coz pin" was ineffable and indescribable; it was tunuitness and wild; it belted through the brain like the shock of a thousand electric batteries; it unit was tunuitnous and wild; it belted through the brain like the shock of a thousand electric batteries; it unmoored the heart from its anchorage of dignity, and made it laugh sardonically; it made the soul and the senses reel, and it was received with a yell of enthusiasm that vibrated through the lofty passages of the model hotel like discharges of artillery over a rock-bound river; it was grand and gloomy, and solemn and peculiar. Siveri is a little oit of a god, and Herz is a paragon planist; cold, calculating and from men cannot be musical critics; and that person who, in the metropolis of New York, has undertook to dictate a conventional rule to metropolitan audiences, and who has pronounced it plabelan to applaud a great genius—a maestro—that person is a chamelion—a doggerel critic—without those angelic and fine feelings which ever suddenly impel men to love and approve sweet and lovely things on this bald earth.—Such persons made society an automaton machine—they made it cold, and pulseless, and rotten; their hearts are conserved in air tight casements; their eyes are gluey and expressionless—

"Avaunt: and quit my sight!" Let the earth hide thee!

"Avaunt! and quit my sight! Let the earth hide thee! Thy bones ar- marrowless, thy blood is cold; Thou hast no speculation in those eyes Which thou dost glare with!"—Shaas.

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Many are they for whom life is a prelude of unctious and complacent joy to their entrance into, I hope, the cove of heaven; many are they whom superfluity has made insensible to the vile agony of those that remain without the pale of fortune—to those poor that wear bestard hearts in their breasts—whose eyes are shrunk with the procrastination of woe, and whose hearts are like a turbid pool, without purity, without beauty, without anything good. Of these first is this bright and happy bovy of men and women who have congregated at Saratoga; of these last is the noxions seum of the populous cities of Europe and America. Thus I augur that God has apparently evinced a partiality for portions of mankind, and that he has also, apparently, vouchsafed pre-eminent and peculiar blessings to particular latitudes of the continents.

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Mobe of the Continents.

Mobe of the Plainfild Elopement Case.—Of John Higman, who lately cloped from Plainfield, N. J. with a young girl of 17, leaving a wife and children behind, we find the following account:—"Higman is an Englishman, about 30 years old, quite stout, common size, dark complexion, heavy black whiskers, black hair and eyes. He has been in this country about six years, and it is said, left a wife in England, and married his present wife in Albany. He has resided in this place about a year, and in the spring he hired a dwelling, shop and store, in the centre of the village, for five or ten years. His conduct has been such as to gain the confidence of many. The better to carry out his nefarious plans, he sent his wife to Albany on a visit, a few days before his departure, his wife's sister meanwhile keeping house for him—borrowed all the money he could from every body, his journeymen among others, to whom he was otherwise much inselved, telling them that on his return, having a large order to take in, he would pay all off saying that he was going to Albany to bring home his wife. He left here on Friday morning, in debt \$900 taking with him five boxes of boots belonging to his customers in New York. In New York, he stopped at the Howard House, writing in the register John Williams and lady, Somerville." He sold all his boots for cash, purchased two more boxes of boots on credit; sold them also for cash—then shaved off his whekers and changed his black cloth coat for a light blouse. He left New York for Philadelphia that furneon with it is supposed, about \$1000 in cash. His pursuers from here reached Baltimore Sunday morning at 4 o'clock, and ascertained that he had arrived there just 24 hours before. A man who gave his name as Back, had if Baltimore for Cumberland, whom they judged to be him, ou Saturday, and they followed him to that place, one day behind. At Cumberland they could not accredit in the pursuit of Pittsbu

The Hon. James Buchanan, the Secretary of State, has

gone to Old Point.

The Illicois State Convention has a plan before it (which will probably carry) vesting the judicial power of the State in one Supreme Court, in Circuit Courts, and such other courts as shall be established by the Constitution. The cities are to have no municipal courts. It must also been settled that the judges are to be paid a taking of tweets hundred dollars per annum—Albany Econing Journal, Jug. 4

Cont. Ethin S. Banker.

Econing Journal, Jug. 4.

Capt. Ethiu S. Bunker, formerly commander of the steamer Fulton, which used to run between this city and Providence, died in this city on Wednesday afternoon. He was 75 years of age, and greatly respected by a numerous class of acquaintaness and friends. His funeral will be attended to-day from 39 Broadway.

Mrs. Polk arrived at Louisville on Thursday last, on her return to Washington. Henry Clay arrived at White Sulphur Springs on

One hundred girls passed through this village on the 30th ult., en route for Lowell; and some fifty for the same destination two weeks since. Agents are sent into this county, Franklin and St. Lawrence, and within the past year, more than four hundred have been "pleked up" and forwarded to the factories. Good wages are offered them, or they would not leave their homes, and the great manufacturing establishments are doing a business that will "pay," or they would not want them.—Plattsburgh Republian.

A young man named Wilson was killed in Pittsburgh. Pa, a few nights since, by a blow which he received from the club of a watchman named Kelly. The watchman has been held to ball in \$3000.

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Adams and Berrien, two of the prisoners who lately escaped from prison at Hartford, have been arrested and re-lodged in their former quarters.

The iron rails are laid upon the Madison and Indianapolis railroad to within thirteen miles of the latter place. It is thought that the cars will reach Indianapolis, over the road, by the 15th of August.

The Mobile Board of Health on the 28th ult, reported a case of yellow fever. The patient is said to be "the captain from New York." The name of the captain is not given.

The electors of Milwaukie have voted to borrow \$12,000 to improve their harbor.

The Hancock engine company No. 1, of Charlestown, start on an excursion, by invitation, on Monday next, to this city, via Albany. They will bring an elegant new engine, and will be accompanied by Flagg's brass band.

The selectmen of Wiscassett have ordered the arrest of all boys who may be loitering around the streets during school hours, saying that they must either attend school or devote their time with diligence to some lawful employment. No chance for truant schoolboys there.

Ship Fever AT GROSSE ISLE .- Return of eaths of emigrants, from May 10th to July 24th,

Total. 4572

Drs. Vivian and Stewart were simply indisposed, and tre now better.—Quebec Mercury. The American Matt, for the present week will be found deeply interesting. It contains, I. Trout Fishing on Long Island, a capital article, by Frank

Forrester.

2. Selmon Fishing, by Chyrles Lanman, Esq.

3. The Masorcha Club, a glorious story, from Blackwood.

4. Lieutenant Hunter, a scorching and able article on Commodore Perry, &c.

5. Prospectus and Plan of a new series of The New World, to be edited by Park Benjamin. Esq.

Also, a great variety of excellent original and selected articles. &c.

les. &c 6)4 Cents single—\$2 s vear in advance. R. WILKINSON, Publisher, 116 Nassau st.

New Sunday Paper—The first number of the SUNDAY COURIER will be issued on the 4th instant. It will contain an unusual amount of original and selected mater, including t-les and sketches, foreign and domestic news, correspondence, political and other editorial matter, clippings, &c. &c.; in fact. it will in all respects be equal, acd in many superior, to the best weeklies heretofore published.

Pice—Three cents.
Carriers desirous of taking routes, are requested to make immediate application.

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WATSON & BARNEY, Publishers,
31 Ann street.

Travelling Dreading Cases. The exceedingly small compass in which the subscribers have placed every thing necessary for the toilet, without destroying their usefulness, and the handsome and substantial manner in which they are made, render these cases superior to any manufactured. An examination cannot fail of being satisfactors. G. SAUNDERS & SON, 177 Broadway.

Razors, Knives, Scissors, Nall Files, Tweez Razors, Khives, Sciences, and to let curlety, of the stapproved patterns and warranted manufacture, can be occured at 177 Broadway, a few doors above Courtlandt st.

Hair Cutting and Trimming Whiskers_The ecret of Hill, the minitable Hair Cutter's universal popularity a his particular busi-ess, is that during business hours he is always at his post of duty, ready to wait uon and accommodate is patrons, without distinction; and then the work is always me according to strict rules of science-harmonizing twith the features of the weare—cansing the hair to lay with erfect ease, and ever afterwards kept in graceful order without rouble. Try him. At No. 13 Nassau, cor of Pine street.

The Plumbe National Daguerreian Gallery as the upper corner of B oadway, and Murray street, over leaney's lewelry store, is well worth visiting, the collection slarge, interesting and finely exceeded. From the large numer of pictures which are made at this establishment, we know of there not being any who are not perfectly satisfied with the inctures executed at this gallery, are unequalled anywhere.

Diamond Pointed Gold Pens_Those who may wish to get a good Gold Pens.—Those who may wish to get a good Gold Pen, at the lowest price, should go to J W. GREATON & CO, 71 Cedar street, where they can find the pens of all the best makers. Ee not misled by the chicanery of those who pretend that those bearing the names of "Pringes," "Cardmals," &:, are better than those stumped with the maker's name. Makers of all articles put their names on the heat, and fictitious or favey waw ps on the inferior qualities. J. W. G. & Co. have Pens and Cases from 75 cents and upwards.

The Richelleu Gold Pen.—The saving of \$1,50 on the orice of a Gold Pen, must certainly be an object to any one. That every purchaser of a "Richelieu" pen at \$2 makes such a saving, cannot be disputed, as they are fully equal in every respect to the pens sold elsewhere for \$3.50. That they form one exception at least to the complete assortment advertised by other dealers, is established from the plain fact that they are sold exclusively by B.E. Watson & Co., No. 45 Wilsiam street, and J. Y. Savage, No. 25 Fulton street, and nowhere else in this city. O her Gold Pens at 75 cants, \$1 25, \$156, \$2, and genuine Levi Browne's pensat \$3. N. B.—Gold pens carefully repaired.

Strangers are respectfully informed that the only place in New York to obtain these articles genuine, is at No. 182 Broad way—the exclusive ageocy. In all cases of dyspepsia, rheu-matism, and nervous complaints, their efficacy is undoubted. and in consequence of their great celebrity, several druggists offer worthless imitations. No druggist in New York will ever be allowed to keep the geouine Dr. Christie's articles, and the public are cautioned to beware of them.

Sherwood's Improved Magnetic Machines re accompanied with his new Manu-l, pp 460, and, with his a w and scientific manoer of magnetising, are warranted to ture ten cases to one of ave other machine.

They are of different sizes, in rosewood cases, \$0, \$10, \$12 and \$14.

H. H. SHERWOOD, M. D.

FM&W 102 Chambers street.

Baby Jumpers!...This useful and amusing avection has been highly approved of by all who have obsided it, for the healthful exercise of children, and the relief taff-rds to those having care of them, and has commanded as extensive sale throughout the United States and Eugland. Southern merchants would find it advantareous to call. To be had wholesale and retail at 311 Broadway, and 3t GEO. W. TUTTLE, Inventor and Patentee.

Hair Cutting and Dressing.—Citizens and strangers visiting the city are generally anxious to have their Hair cut and dressed so as to conform to the latest fashion, GILBERT & FLETCHER being long experienced in att, cut Hair, manufacture Wirs, &c., in the latest and most approved style. Give them a call at 179 Broadway, opposite Howard's Hotel, up stairs.

N. B.—Private rooms for fitting wigs.

in the city, are respectfully informed that the Broadway Jour nal and Stranger's Guide, is the only thing published for the benefit of stranger's. It has a large and correct map of the city —the largest and plannest ever published—all—he steambout and rultood routes, public offices, &c. &c. Published by Ber ford & Co., Booksellers. 2 Astor House.

Navigation of the Ohio River.

Thursday, August 5_6 P. M.

There was very little activity in the stock market to-day; prices, however, were tolerably firm. Treasury tes, 6's, North American Trust, Farmers' Loan, and Norwich and Worcester, closed at prices current yester off %, and Harlem %. There appears to be a dull time coming on, a sort of lull in the market, and speculators exhibit a disposition to hold off. We cannot expect such activity in the stock market until about the

first week in September.

The Assistant Treasurer of the Government, in this city, has suspended payment. Demands against the government have been presented for payment and refused, and if that is not bankruptcy, we would like to know what is. There must be a want of funds, or the payment of regularly drawn drafts would not be refused. The Secretary of the Treasury has adopted some very extraordinary rules relative to the payment of demands against the government. Drafts which have matured are not paid upon presentation. It appears that if they are not presented between the hours of ten and three, on the day they are due, they are not paid at all. The money cannot be obtained a day before or a day after. It is possible that the government may make something out of this method of doing business; that the treasury may have the use of other peoples' money a little while longer; but it creates a vast deal of bad feeling, and in many instances is very injurious to the parties concerned. A war warrant for only \$50, regularly signed and regularly endorsed, was a few days since presented to the Assistan Treasurer of this city and payment refused, and the only satisfaction the holder received was, that as it had been issued more than eighty days, the Treasurer had no au-

thority to pay it.

The amount received for tells at the Collector's office

Increase over 159 per cent, being. \$34,685 71 The aggregate amount received for tolls at that office. om the commencement of navigation to the 31st of

Increase over 87 per cent, being \$329,614 69 The amount received for tolls at Buffalo during the entire season of navigation in 1845, was \$482,685 41, and in 1846, \$769,688 09. In order to exhibit mere fully the

large increase at that office during the present year, the following table has been prepared, which shows the receipts for each month, from the commencement of navion to the 1st of August, during the years 1845, 1846 and 1847 :--

CANAL COMMERCE OF BUFFALO-TOLLS RECEIVED. \$42,545 17 22,545 58 44,666 24 137,982 66 45,904 97 138,638 36 40,084 61 86,308 40 Totals......\$213,201 00 375,475 00 705,089 69

The importations of produce into Buffalo, via the lake, from the West, from the opening of navigation to the 1st of August, for several years past, were as annexed:-

LAKE COMMERCE OF BUFFALO-IMPORTS TO AUGUST 1.

There has been a very great increase in all the items of creadstuffs, in beef, wool, whiskey and hides, and a decrease in pork and ashes. The receipts of wheat and corn this season have been nearly three times as large as those to the corresponding date last year, and the re-ceipts of flour about double. The per cent increase in he receipts of produce for the remainder of the sea will not be so large as it has been, in consequence of the reduction in prices. There will not be so much anxiety

to get forward supplies.

The following is a comparative statement of the amount of flour shipped east Rochester, on the Erie canal, from the opening of the navigation to the first of August.

ROCHESTER FLOUR TRADE. April, bbis. 41,925 May 43,519 June. 34,069 July 41,159 160,672 163,850 236,165 The increase in the shipments of flour this year over

last is 72 315 bbls. The receipts of Wheat at Rochester by the two can for the same time were as follows, viz:—To August, 1845: 212,027 bushels; 1846, 224,087 bushels; 1847, 692,272 bushels. The receipts this year were about fifty per cent larger than the aggregate to the 1st inst. of the past two

1847, was \$25,453, against \$18,107 for the corresponding month in 1846.

A letter from the Commissioner of the General Land

Office to the Governor of Indians, states that the sales of the Miama reserve lands have been postponed to Monday, the 20th of December next. This was done on urgent application from gentlemen in Indiana, "that settlers on them may have an opportunity of realising the proceeds of their growing crops, and thus have the means of securing their improvements."

The receipts of the Eric Railroad for the month of July, 1847, compared with those for the corresponding month in 1846, were as follows, viz:—

-\$23,773 48 Same time last year:-From freight.....\$9,965 77 From passengers and mail......6,644 66

The increase amounts to about 43 per cent, and has been pretty equally divided between freight and pas-

The receipts at the Philadelphia office of the Columbia Railroad, up to the 1st August, la each of the past two years, were as annexed:-

PHILADELPHIA AND COLUMBIA RAILBOAD.

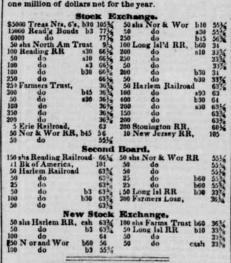
Railway. Mot'e Pr. Total.

Amount as per last report... 97,670 07 81,571 11 180,341 18

Do. month ending July 31,

1817....... 15.940 27 12,251 63 28,191 90 Wh'le am't since Nov. 30, '46...113,6 0 34 94,922 74 206,531 08 Same time last year....... 87,277 28 78,507 49 165,784 77 Increase...... 26,333 06 16,415 25 42,748 31

This is a link in the public improvements of l'ennsylvania, from which the State derives its revenue. The increase exhibited above amounts to about twenty-five per cent, which is considerably less than the per cent inof July, show an aggregate increase of about fifty per cent on the income of last year to the same date. This looks well for the financial condition of the Trasury of Pennsylvania, and if the income for the remainder of the season continues at the same rate, it will be about one million of dollars net for the year.



CITY THADE REPORT.

NEW YORK, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 5. Flour was again some firmer to-day, and sales of Genesee were made at \$5 62½ a \$5 75, with some lots reported sold at \$5 871. A lot of one brand Indiana sold at \$5 75, and a parcel of flat hoop Ohio at \$5 50. A sale of Oswego was made at \$5 68%, and of straight brands Michigan at \$5 75. A small sale of North Carolina or-dinary wheat was made at 103 cents; a lot of Western red was made at 102c; and another do. sold at 113c. Good quality Ohlo was worth 120 a 125c. Corn was again dearer to-day; sales of good sound mixed were made at 68c, and of flat yellow at 70 a 72c, the latter price for the article delivered along side ship; good round yellow was in good demand, and held at 74 a 750-Meal- Sales of good western New York were made at \$2 75, and of ordinary do at \$2 50. Sales of Rye were made at 81 a 83, the latter price for a small lot Sales of oats were freely made at 45 a 45c. In barley nothing was doing. Provisions continued inactive. A sale of old prime pork was made at \$12; new mess and prime were nominally the same. In groceries prices were steady. A fair amount of business was doing in coffee and molasses; sugar was steady, but no sales of moment were made.

were made.

Receipts down the Hudson River, August 4.
Flour, barrels. 20,559 Wheat, bush 13,729
Corn meal. 478 Rye, 3,295
Corn, bushels. 26,585

Corres—Sales of 2000 bags of Rio were made at 7/4c a 7/4c.

Corros—The market continues buoyant, and the sales to-day amount to 2500 bales, chiefly for export; some purchases were made to day on speculation, based on the continued gloomy accounts from the south for the growing crop. We quote as follows, with the remark, that at our inside figures, the lower grades move freely, and a good demand exists for the upper grades:—

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION. Uplands. Florida. Mob. 4 Texas Fiss.—Dry cod were firm, and good quality in demand at \$3 50 a \$3 52% per quintal. No sales were reported. Nothing was reported in mackerel. Prices for No. 3's remained firm. 200 bbis. gibbed herrings were sold at \$8 26.

Fault.—Sales of about 1000 boxes bunch raisins were made at \$1 40 a \$1 45.

HEMF.—Sales of about 150 bales American dew rotted were made at \$140. Mannilla was worth \$280 per ton.

LEATHER.—The public sale was well attended, principally, however, by speculators. Frices show an improvement on last week's sale of % a cent per pound on midding and light weights sole. The competition for the best lots was spirited; and 18c. was freely bid for the best tannages.

Aunages.

I.EAD.—The market was unsettled, and quotations nominal at \$3 \$7% a \$4.

MoLASSES.—The market was firmer, and nearly all descriptions were dearer by about 1 cent per gallon; though

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Navat Storks.—We have only to report sales of 250 bbls raw turpentine at \$2 75 per 280 lbs. Spirits turpentine were sold at 42 a 43c.

Ou.—Linseed stood at eld prices, viz: 70c. for city pressed, and 68c. for English, with moderate sales.—There was nothing of moment reported in whale or sperm. N. W. whale was held at 32% a 32%c. Oil cask —250,006 gallons were sold at 1 cent per gallon.

PROVISIONS.—The market continued inactive; sales of 160 bbls. oid prime were made at \$12; new mess was nominal at \$15 25; and new prime at \$12; 06. Lard was firm, while there was no change in butter or cheese.

RICE.—Sales of 70 tierces were made at \$5 25 a 5 37%.

SUGAR.—The article was steady, if not a little firmer, but no sales of consequence transpired.

TALLOW.—Inactive.

WHALESONE.—Nominal at 28 cents for Northwest, and 30 cents for South Sea.

WHISKEY.—Sales of 50 bbls. were made at 28 cents.

FRYGHATS.—A Vessel was taken up for Liverpool at 3s 6d for flour; to London 8 a 10,000 bushels of wheat were engaged, in bulk, at 11d; and 500 bbls. flour at 3s 9d; to Havre the rates remained about the same.

TELEGRAPHIC

Markets. BALTIMORE, August 5-P. M. There was more doing in Flour to-day, and we report sales of 2000 bbls, including Howard street, at \$5.50 a \$5.02%, and parcels of City Mills at \$5.75. Fresh ground held at \$6. Wheat—Sales of 2000 bushels were made of Maryland red at 105c., including sales of new Maryland do. at 125c. Sales of 2000 bushels of Corn were made, consisting of white and yellow, at 67 a 68c., and of New Orleans at 63c. Provisions steady. We quote Mess Pork at \$16 a \$16 50, and Prime at \$13 a \$13 50 Whiskey was in fair request at 26c. in hhds. and a. 26%

a 27c. in bbls.

[Telegraphic Correspondence of Philada. Bulletin]
Pittsgurg, Aug. 5, 12 M.—There are about three feet
and a quarter water in the channel to-day. There has
been a little more animation in the flour market, with
sales at \$4.25 and 4.50 for fresh ground. Some holders
are asking higher prices, and I think from the light
stock and firmness in the eastern markets, they will be
obtained. I can hardly change quotations for grain.—
Sales are limited; corn brings 35 to 37½ cents, and wheat
\$0 to 85 cents, with small sales a fraction higher for
milling. Provisions maintain their rates without much
activity. Western hams are taken at \$5½ to 9½, sides
8½ to 9, and shoulders at \$5½ to 7. Barrelled meat without demand for export. There has been some slight
movement in cotton, at improved prices. Sales oats at
23 cents. Nothing doing in rye; last sales were at 50
and 51 cents.

Houston streets, on Thursday morning, August 5, by the Rev. 1. S. Demund, Mr. James A. Ferguson to Miss Marcia D., daughter of Wm. H. Van Dalsen, Esq., all of this city.

On the 29th July, by the Rev. Mr. Stratton, Owen Friederick to Miss Ann Jannette Bogardus, all of this

FREDERICK TO MISS ANN JANNETTE BOGARDUS, SIT OF this city.

On Wednesday evening, the 4th inst., by the Rev. Pierre P. Irving, Mr. John Carpt, of this city, to Miss Elexanor V. daughter of the iste Abraham Perlee, M. D., of New Orleans.

In Brooklyn, on Thursdaf, the 5th inst., at the church of the Holy Trinity, by the Rev. C. B. Wyatt, Augustus H. Lockwood to Susan H., daughter of the late C. Roumarge, Esq.

In Boston, on the 4th inst., by the Rev. Dr. Young, Mr. Herman Melville, of New York, to Miss Elizabeth K. Shaw, daughter of Chief Justice Shaw, of the former place.

On the evening of the 4th inst., Mr. Robert H.
O'Neal, late of the U.S. Navy.
The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, this afternoon, (Friday.) at 3½ o'clock, from his late residence, 150½ Prospect st., Brooklyn.
On the 5th inst., of billious cholic, Thomas Carter, in the 53d year of his age.
His friends, and those of his son Thomas, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Friday) afternoon, at 3½ o'clock, from his late residence, 43 Crosby street, without further invitation.
On Wednesday, the 4th inst., Adolph, infant son of Leopold and Harriet A. Edditt, of this city.
At Natchez, on the evening of the 23d ult., Helen, wife of Robert Cochran, a native of Scotland, lately of New York.

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At Governor's Island, on Thursday morning, 5th Inst., Gronge Mornison Douglass, son of Randolph and Jane Douglass, aged 11 months and 4 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully requested to attend the funeral, on Saturday, the 7th Inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M. (13- Barges will be in readiness at Castle Garden.

JACOB S. PLATT—Auctioneer.

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES AND GOLD JEWLERY.—Jacob S. Platt will sell, this day, at 10 o'clock,
at the auction room, 23 Platt street, by catalogue, several invoices of watches, viz.—
102 double bottomed German silver watches.
66 engraved backs, do.
20 silver quarter Lepine and anchor do.
14 silver gilt watches, Lepine and anchors, gold patterns.
75 gold case Lepines, all sizes.
50 do. do. anchors, levers, detached, futl extra, and 13 jewels,
some of which will be sold separate to accommodate those
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Also, 100 lats city made gold jewelry, and 1000 gold pens, part of which are diamond points.

Also, 20 anchor movements, 13 holes, jeweled, consisting of gold, cluster, ruby; topaz, cameo and French diamond pins, brooches, rings, ear hoops, alides, studs, bracelets, rings, eec chains, necklaces, hair gold mounted bracelets, and about 500 chains, necklaces, hair gold mounted bracelets, and about 500 geld filled rings, &c.

N. B.—Terms, for the watches, will be 63 days, for approved endorsed notes, for aums of \$100 and upwards; under \$.00, cash. Catalogues at the auction rooms.

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BY LEWIS & MORTINER, Store 187 Chatham street, consere of Oliver.—Pawabroker's Sale, this day (Friday) August 6th, at 10 o'clock, a large collection of unredeemed pledges, consisting of Gowns, Shawls, remnants of Linen, Mualin, Calico, &c.; Blankets, sheets, Fillows, Boots, Shoes, &c. &c.

&c , &c.
By order of Abraham Goodman, licensed Pawnbroker, 31
Centre street.
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Centre street.

1 O. O. F.—At the session of the R. W. Grand Lodge of the State of New York, to be held this day at National Hall, there will be presented a Constitution for the action of that body. At 10 A. M. the proposition will be submitted and taken up for action at 1 F. M. The question on its adoption, however, will not be taken until the evening session. Functual attendance is requested. By order, and it is JOHN G. TREADWELL, G. Secretary. COLT'S COTTON DUCK—A constant supply of the va-rious numbers, 23 and 41 inches wide, warranted superior to any in morket, for sole by NATH. & L. & GEO. GRISWOLD, 72 South street.

at 0 OTICE.—Mr. J. H. BILLING and Mr. J. D. BELL Nonignees by the ship Utica, from Have, in December 1815, will please send their addresses to the office of and BOVD & HINCKEN, No. 38 Wall st. L OST-Yesterday morning, in Broadway, near the Park, a cver will return it to 389 Broadway, will be rewarded 18 Broadway, will

A DOCK TO BE EXTENDED AND REPAIRED
A at the foot of 197th street, on the Hudson River. Persons wishing to contract, apply to and 31 is *re

A GERMAN GENTLEMAN WISHES TO BE ACcommodated with a handsome room and breakfast from the 1st Sept. in an American private family in the lower part of the city. References exclanged. Letters to be addressed O. A., box No. 935.

WANTED—A situation as cierk in some wholesale job-ning or commusion store, by a young Frenchman who understands the English, French and Spanish languages. Any situation where he could make an honest living would be accepted. No objection to going to any part of the Usited States, Flease address A.B., at this office, stating where an interview may be had.

WANTED—A respectable Young Woman wants a situation of the state of the state washer and indeer. The best of city reference given. Inquire to-day and to-morrow at No. 9 Beavers rect, corner of New. 86 it*m.

WANTED—A purchaser for a very popular and well es

to-morrow at No. 9 Beavers rect, conser of New. a6 11 m. W. AN FED—A purchaser for a very popular and well established Soloon; the proprietor wishing to leave the city on account of other business, would dispose of the shove on very reasonable terms. This is an extra opportunity for a gentleman with a small capital—say from two to three thousand dollars. Location in the greatest thoroughfare, and most business part of Broadway. The above is doing, and always has drue, an excellent business. For particulars, apply 254 Broadway, hearings, between 19 and 4 o'clock.

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The beat of references given and required. All communications addressed to W. Y., Box No. 1216, Fost Office, will be promitly attended to.

All the promitly attended to.

WANTED.—A situation by a German girl, to do washing, industry the promiting or honsework in general. Inquire at No. 502 Hudson street.

TO VEST MAKERS—A few first rate hands wanted by Frost & Walface, 51 Maiden lane. None but hands who have worked for regular shops need apply.

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TIMBER FOR SALE on the ime of the Hadson Rive Railroad, betweed 16th and 167th streets, Bloomingdale above the Abbey Hotel. A large portion of it is chestnut and oak, of a superior quality. Application to be made on the pre mises to JOHN MOFFAT, of to 46 Stis*re W. B. MOFFAT, 335 Broadway.

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WE, THE PASSENGERS OF THE SHIP JANE, of St. John, N. B., having appointed a Committee for the purpose of returning a vote of thanks to the captain, officers and crew, have, this 3d day of Annas to the captain, officers insert the following letter in the New 1817, duly agreed to insert the following letter in the New 1817, out of a committee of the captain, officers insert the following letter in the New 1817, out of a committee of the crew, have devoted all the time which the remained of the crew, have devoted all the time which they maid spare from discharging their duties towards the forming which their endeavors have been unremitted vessel in promoting the comforts of the passengers, in performing which their endeavors have been unremitted vessel in promoting the control to the committee of the passengers, in performing which their endeavors have been unremitted vessel displayed towards us during the entire committee of the passengers, in the control of the proposition of the passenger when has devoted his whole time and superior faculties to the great benefit and c. infoot of his fellow passengers during the royage.

Signed on behalf of the passengers. D. O'Reilly, Esq., whole time and superior faculties to the works, the fellow passengers during the voyage. Signed on behalf of the passengers.

HENRY D. O'REILLY, Chairman.

John Rees, Secretary

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Patrick Judge, David Wilson,
John O'Brice, Michael Tenant,
John O'Brice, Thomas Melvey,

GUSTAF F. WESTMAN is requested to call at the swedish and Norwegian Counsilate, 55 West street, where he will hear of sounciding to his advantage.

PARK THEATRE.—Boxes \$1; Pit 50 cents; Gallery 25 cents.—Friday Evening. August 50a, will be performed the opers called LinDA OF '!HAM OUN'E.—Linda, Madame tana Bishop; Visconte de Sirval, hir Frizer, Autonio, Air Brough; Pierotto, Mrs Bailey; Paoli, Mr Barry; Mag dalene. Mrs, Kaught.—FORTY AND FIFTY—M. Lib. dalene, Mrs. Knight.
Previous to which FORTY AND FIFTY-Mr Lillywhite,
Rass: Mrs. Lillywhite, Mrs. Vernon; Clementina, Miss
Kate Hom.

orn sopen at 7—performance to commence at half-past 7. BOWERY THEATRE-A.W. JACESON, Proprietor-H.
E. STEVENS, Stage Manager.—This evening, Friday,
August 6, will be performed the grand spectacle of LA BAYADERE, or the Maid of Cashmere-Zoloe, Miss J. Tumbull,
To which will be added the ihird act of the NAIAD
QUEEN—The Naiad Queen, Miss J. Tumbull; Baptiste,
Mr. Burke. Previous to the above pieces, the comedy of OLE BULL— Ebenezar Calf, Mr C. Burke; Old Heifer, Keene: Mary, Miss Booth Booth.

Bores, 25 cents; Pit and Gellery, 12½ cents. Doors open at a quarter to 7; performance to commence at half-nast 7.

CARD.—BOWERY THEATIRE.—Miss JULIA TURN.

BULL respectfully informs her friends and the public generally that her Benefit and last appearance will take place on SATURDAY EVENING, 7th inst. upon which occasion (who has kindly tendered his services,) will appear as Sir Rapert in

Rupert in THE NAIAD QUEEN, being most positively the last representation of that gorgeous spectacle. Also, the last night of the performance of the Operatic Ballet of spectacle. Also, the last might of the performance of the Operatic Ballet of

LA BAYADERE.
In addition to which, for the first and only time, La Polka will be danced by Miss Turnbull and sixteen young ladies, together with other entertainments which will be expressed in the bills of the day. Box Book new open.

CHATHAM THEATRE—Under the Massement of Mr. FLETCHER.—Friday Evening, August 6, will be performed the MARRIED RAKE—Six Frederick Fo. will be performed the MARRIED RAKE—Six Frederick Fo. will be performed the MARRIED RAKE—Six Frederick Fo. will be performed to be followed by the Travesatio of HAMLET—Hamlet, Mr. Bollowed by the Travesatio of HAMLET—Hamlet, Mr. Brougham, Claudins, Mr. Whiting: Folomus, Mr Taylor; Matton, Mr. Ferker, Ophelia, Mrs. Brougham, Mr. Taylor; Matton, Mr. Ferker, Ophelia, Mrs. Brougham, Mr. Myliting; Man, Parker, Dians, Mr. Month, St. Parker, St. Parker, Bore, 25 cents, Ph. 195, cents. Frivate Bores, 50 couts each seef. h seat. open at 7-performance commences at half-post 7.

DALMO'S OPERA HOUSE.—Open every Night—Last
night but One of the Freuch Ballet Company.—Fri
day Evening, August 6th, the performances will commence
with the amusing Vandeville, entitled THE DEAD SHOT
—Capt. Cannon, Mr. Phillips; Louisa Lovetick, Miss M. Duff,
Dancing on the Tight Rope by Charles Wunther and Chris-Dancing on the Tight Rope by Charles Windows and Lehman After which, the laughable ballet, entitled DECHALU-MEAU—Characters by the Lehman Family.
To conclude with the comic pantomime of the LIVING SKELETON—Characters by the Lehman Family.
The divertisement will commence at half-past 8 o'clock.

SKELFTON—Characters by the Lehman Family.

The divertisement will commence at half-past 8 o'clock.

CASTLE, GARDEN—Mr. Baker, Stage Manserr—On Friday Evening, August 6, the comedicta of TURNING THE TABLES—Jack Humphries, Mr. Holland; Jeremiah Bumps, Mr. Walcot; Patty Larkins, Miss Clark.

To be followed by the wonderful performances of Herr Cline on the Tight Rope.

After which, Miss Louisa Wells will dance La Polacca. Highland Fling, by La Petite Mary Anne.

Doers open at 6½, Performance to commence at 8.

Admission, 25 cents.

V AUXHALL SALOON—GRAND CONCERT, this, Friday evening, August 6th—Mr. J. W. NEEL respectfully announces his first Benefit in this city, to take place as above, on which occasion he will be assisted by A iss Jeam'e Reynoldson, the Scotch vocalist, Miss Maria Barton, Miss Janov, on which occasion he will be assisted by A iss Jeam'e Reynoldson, the Scotch vocalist, Miss Maria Barton, Miss Janov, on which occasion he will be assisted by A iss Jeam'e Reynoldson, the Scotch vocalist, Miss Maria Barton, Miss Jalia Barton, Mr. George Res. Mr. Meredith, Mr. Leigh Hunt, Mr. Le Bars, Mr. N. C. Vache, Mr. Quayle and Mr. Oldfield. The programme embraces a choice selection of Songs, Ballads, Glices, &c., and a Fireman's Duett, by Messrs, Quayle and Neel, written expressly for, and sung at, a musical celebration in Philadelohis, got up in honor of the New York Fire Company No. 14, who were then on a visit to that city. Concert to commence at B¼ o'clock. Tickets 25 cents, admitting lady and gentleman, to be he dat the door.

CHINESE LADY.—For one week only.—Novel Attraction.—In consequence of the several environments to

a lady and geuileman, to be h d at the door.

CHINESE LADY.—For one week only.—Novel Attraction.—In consequence of the general expressed anxiety to see a femsle belonging to the higher order of the Celestial Empire, prior to her departure for Europe, Niblo's Saloon, No. 557 Broadway, has been expressly engaged, to show the public the only lady that ever left the walls of Cauton. Admission 25 cents—Child.en 12½ cents.

YICe Cream and Refreshment saloon open, without charge, as usual.

THE RAVEL FAMILY beg to announce to their numerous friends and patrons in New York, that they have leased FALMOS OPERA HOUSE for a short aummer season, being their farewell appearance in a state of their popular buring the season will be produced several of their popular BALLET DIVERTISEMENTS.

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STATES NAVY.—The subscribers have just received
from Lendon Epaulettes for all grades according to the recent
order of the Navy Department; also, Shoulder Straps, which
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TO LET—A neat two story cottage house, with basements and under cellar, principal story, two parlors with sliding doors, hard flushed walls, second story; 2 large rooms and 2 bedrooms; reat low.

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Cart. Degroot, of the steamer Roger Williams, takes this opportunity of returning his thanks for the very liberal patronace of the public, and pledges himself that he will not, on any account, race with passengers on board, and will make all the laudings advertised. Fore, 30 cents, not carry emigrants or their higgs.

ONLY REGULAR LINE OF PACKETS FOR BROOKS SY, Captam McKwen, will sail positively on the soft August, her regular day.

She has splendid cabin accommodations, and can also comfortably accommodate a limited number of second cabin passengers, if early application be made to W. & J. T. TAPSCOTT.

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ONLY REGULAR LINE OF PACKETS FOR NEW ORLEANS.—Packet of 9th August—The splendid fast sailing and favorite packet ship VICKS-BURG. Capt. Berry, will possurely said on Monday August 5th, 1847, her regular day. The accommodations of this magnificent line of packets, it is well known, are superior to most of the other Southern packets. They said punctually as advertised during the season, and the price of passage low. Those wishing to secure borths should make early application to 35

TO THE LATEST MOMENT.

TELEGRAPHIC.

RICHMOND, Va., Thursday morning, {
August 5, 1847. }

There is no mail South of Augusta. There has been a
great rise in the Savannah River, which flowed over the
streets near the river in Augusta. The crops on the
low ground are supposed to be in great danger.

BY THE MAILS.

Highly Interesting Intelligence.

WASHINGTON, August 4, 1847.

Retaliation on the British Government—The United

Stalls and Brazil—Misstatements—The Three Millions-Lord Paimerston.
Since I wrote last in relation to the unhands

duct of the British Government, in charging double postage on the letters brought by the steamer Washingto Southampton, the Cabinet has resolved to retail ate more summarily than was at first contemplated. It has been determined that the mails for Canada by the Cunard steamers, shall not be transported over our ter ritory in future. Instructions went out by the last steemer to Mr. Bancroft, to notify the British Government, that the compact between the latter and the Post Office Department of the United States, by virtue of which the Canada mail is transported from Boston to Montreal shall cease after three months from the date of the notice—the shortest period specified in the com-pact, for abrogating it at the desire of either party. Thus, after three months, the British Government will be obliged to transport their Canada mail across from-Halifax at great expense and trouble, which expense and trouble it might have avoided if it had acted with com-I see it stated that our Government has sent out in-

structions to Mr. Tod, our new Minister at Brazil, to the effect that it is determined to make such concessions as will prevent farther difficulties; and further, that the question whether Lieutenant Davis was amenable to the municipal laws of Rio, at the time of the riot, has been canvassed at a cabi-net council, the result of the disquisition being, that he was so amenable. There is not a single word of truth in was so amenable. There is not a single word of truth in this statement. No instructions have gone out from the State Department to Mr. Tod, since his departure. The government has not determined to make any, the smallest concession, to Brazil. The matter has not been canvassed at a Cabinet Council for more than a month.

And finally, at no time has there been the slightest difference of opinion in the cabinet as to whether Lieutenant Davis and his boat's crew were amenable to the mu-nicipal laws of Rio while in the streets of that city.— This question has never been raised by our government. It was fully conceded from the first. There It was fully conceded from the first. There has not been the minutest departure from the position first as-sumed by Mr. Buchanan. This misstatement, which was altogether manufactured, is most injurious to the character of our government, as it would represent the cabinet as having assumed a position at first from which it afterwards retreated at the first puny threat held out by the weakest government on the continent. Those who seek to render their news saleable by making it so absurdly false as to be attractive, should at least abstain from the manufacture of such things, when the honor of the country is involved. The rising of the Mormons in California and other amusing absurdities of that nature are all very well. They do not produce much mischief, beyond wantonly alarming thou-sands of families throughout the United States for the fate of their relatives and friends in that country; but when such falsehoods put the government of the United States in an attitude at one time bluster bullying-at another truekling and timorous-at one time demanding concessions from Brazil, and anon making concessions to that power before they are de-manded, and when there are absolutely no concessions to make; the mischief is not quite so harmless.

Not a single dollar of the peace appropriation of three
millions has as yet been drawn from the Treasury, nor

can it be until a treaty of peace shall have been ratified by Mexico. Such is the provision of the law.

Lord Palmerston's extraordinary language in relation

to the non-paying States, has been received here with a smile and a shrug of the shoulders. Extravagant and blustering as his lordship's tone and policy has hitherto been, such a brusque announcement as that made by him in the House of Commons on the 6th of July, was entirely unexpected. The hot-headed minister must have found the attention of his auditory very mush inclined to flag, when he was obliged to resort to such a meaningless and empty threat to "bring down the house." What is the state of the case between England and the States, her debtors? Pennsylvania pays full interest, not only on her principal but on the interest unpaid. Michigan and Illinois have made arrangements to pay. So has Indiana. Mississippi denies she is justly indebted. Maryland is absolutely unable to pay, with the very best intentions, however, of paying

every dollar when she can. There was never a time less fitly chosen for the enunciation of this vaunting threat. Let England turn her eyes newly made graves-fully up, I believe, by this time, to the newly made graves—tuny up, I believe, by this time, to the awful number of one million—graves dug and filled by her rapacity—let her put this million of souls prematurely sent by her to their account in one scale, and the tempora-ry withholding from her of a few millions of pounds sterling by the American States, in another-let her poise these two, and see which will preponderate. If she will stand forth before the world as the accuser of America, at least

let her come into court with clean hands.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4, 1847.

Items of the Day.

That brave leader of the brave Illinois volunteers at Cerra Gordo, who conducted his men after the fall of Jen. Shields to the place where victory invited, sword in

hand, that good soldier, Col. Baker, hale and lively, arrived in town to-day, and stops at Coleman's. No particularly astonishing news from the army.

The contracts for the mail steamers all the way round to Oregen are closed, of which something more present-ly. It will be a fit part and parcel of the Ocean Steam

Navigation system of the United States. EA new company of amateur vocalists and instrumen tal performers, under the supervision of Mr. James Charles, of this city, has been organized, entitled the Washington Euterpeans. They gave the editorial corps and others, including your reporter, a delightful sere nade last night. And if they only sing and play as well

and others, including your reporter, a delightful sernade last night. And if they only sing and play as well
by candle light as they do moonlig ht, they will make a
profitable experimental tour through Maryland and Virginia. Their combination of voices and instruments is
very agreeable and harmonious, and we turn them over
to the public with this opinion.

Mr. W. H. Hewitt, of New York city, the well-known
publisher of the Fictorial Shakspeare, has of late turned
his attention to the great element of steam, and has invented a new propeller, entirely different from anything
in use in ocean or inland navigation. It obviates the
objections to the side wheel, and avoids the loss of power
that is peculiar to the screw. It presents on each side
of the boat two parallel ranges of paddies, alternately
operating through the water in a straight line, rising at
the end of the sweep above the water until again submerged for another pull. With an equal engine power,
it is estimated that a speed of at least ten per cent will
be gained upon the ordinary side wheel. The distinguishing peculiarity of the new invention is the inertise
of the water; and by the alternate operation of the
motive power, one set of paddles, twelve in number, on
each side, will be constantly on the pull; the surface of
resistance presented to the water being so great that the
whole power will re-act in giving the forward motion of
the boat. We understand that Mr. Hewitt visited the
naval board to-day, and there is a prospect of an experiment being adopted with the new propeller.

The Prespect of Peace: What a beautiful sound! Peace! What a beautiful sound! Peace! What a beautiful thing! Peace, why only look at the statue of leace at the capitol, and the unaccepted olive in her hand; and you at once are puzzled with the stupidity of the Mexicans. It is provoking ! Old Fat Henry, whose voice was like a bugle blast, said once upon a time, voice was like a bugle blast, and once upon a time,
"Gentlemen may cry peace—peace—but there is no
peace." But the obstinacy of the Mexicans, in refusing
the clive, is enough to make any man foreswear clive oil,
and take to mustard and child or red pepper, even in qualifying his coffee, like old Zack Taylor. Now Moses was a very meek sort of a man, and a good general; and the way he and Joshua made peace with the was by the military process of annexation. It does begin to look as if Old Zachary and Winfield would have

gin to look as if Old Zachary and Winfield would have yet to follow up the example of Moses and his illustrious successor. Why not? Are not the children of brother Jonathan as good as the children of Jacob? Are not the Mexicans even more good for nothing than the Canaanites? Why not go in and possess the land?

Just hold down your ear and listen, and we'll tell you why. It's on account—yes, sir, "It's an account of the d—d nagara." as l'at would say, or, in the common verbacular, the difficulty is or would be, in dividing the country on the nigger question. Now, we can compromise on a slice, you know; and by taking Mr. Calhoun's line, we shall get the river Gila, which will run us a snug railroad from Del Norte (not "the Del Norte," as our army officers write it, but Del Norte) right smack down into the Gulf of California. And we shall have to have a railroad, because people travdy'ng acress that spontaneously prolific paradise of California, in any other way,